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- Preliminary Amendments filed on 01/05/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 01/05/2005
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- Priority Documents filed on 01/05/2005
- Specification filed on 01/05/2005
- Claims filed on 01/05/2005
- Abstracts filed on 01/05/2005

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- \$65 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity:

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 - A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52 because:
 - o The pages of specification including the abstract and claims are not consecutively numbered starting with page "1".

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